

## IT'S ALWAYS A SCAM IF YOU'RE TOLD TO:



Buy A Gift Card for Payment / Refund - Gift cards are for gifts, they are not a valid form of payment

- Remove Money from your Bank Account and Deposit it into a special "ATM" Machine (Cryptocurrency Machine) Anyone asking your to remove money from your bank account and put it into a special machine (Coin Flip, Coin Base, Bit Coin, etc.) to "safeguard" it is trying to steal your money. These machines look almost exactly like an ATM
- Allow Remote Access to your Devices (computer, phone, etc)-Scammers are attempting to gain access to your private information (passwords, bank accounts, etc.)
- Wire Money Wiring money is the same as handing over cash, once it is gone, you cannot get it back
- Mail Cash No legitimate business transaction will ever have you mail cash
- Not Tell Anyone They don't want you to find out you are being scammed

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